

EXHIBIT 9

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In a document dated 22 October 2003, the following events were noted: I met with the Brig CO and her senior staff to review our current plans and requirements for our operations. The CO informed me Medical is considering providing 052 a mattress due to his incessant complaints of back pain. Based on our observations and interviews with the staff, and even 052, it was my opinion that he should not receive a mattress due to the following two factors. First, he works out daily by doing between 200-500 push-ups and sit-ups (claimed by 052 himself and confirmed by the SHU guards monitoring him) and walking in his cell for 4-5 hours. An individual impeded by a chronic back pain should not be able to accomplish that vigorous a workout. Secondly, he has demonstrated a continued and relentless campaign to disrupting the Brig by complaining and making demands. Though it appears to be in his nature to be demanding and complaining, several contradictions lead us to conclude that his efforts are premeditated. A request to withhold the mattress will be made via the OB to CLF Fleet JAG. A request will also be made to provide the minimal interaction possible with 052, to include not providing prayer times and notice of religious observances.

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